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To: [HPCNuclear](#)
Subject: Letter re Notice of Application to make a Non-Material Change to the following Development Consent Order – The Hinkley Point C (Nuclear Generating Station) Order 2013 as amended
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find the attached letter for your consideration in respect of the above matter.

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CLERK TO STOGURSEY PARISH COUNCIL

Please note: I work part time in this role so an immediate response is not always possible.





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Dear Sir /Madam

RE: Notice of Application to make a Non-Material Change to the following Development Consent Order – The Hinkley Point C (Nuclear Generating Station) Order 2013 as amended

If considered on its sole merits, Stogursey Parish Council, the host parish to HPC, has no objections to this particular application. However, it does have significant concerns regarding the number of both Material and Non - Material changes to the DCO that EDF have proposed or are in the process of submitting, in the near future.

The cumulative impact of these changes, when looked at as a whole are worrying in that they have the potential to significantly alter the original DCO beyond recognition.

Some current examples;

1. The Environment Agency are in the process of determining a proposed change to the operation of the Acoustic Fish Deterrent, whilst
2. EDF continue to be in long term consultation with both Somerset CC and Sedgemoor DC regarding changing a requirement to implement further improvements to the Wylds Road / A38 Bristol Road junction in Bridgwater.
3. In addition to this, EDF are planning, in the very near future, to submit a major Material Change Application to PINs, involving significant departures from both the method of Spent Fuel storage and to the size and position of the ILW storage building.

The latter of these changes will involve a massive increase in size of the ILW store, making it the tallest building on the site, located adjacent to the Sea Wall (which is part of the South West Coastal path). This monolithic structure will have a 60 + year lifetime and will be in place until such a time as a Geological Repository is eventually sourced and constructed.

Stogursey Parish Council are hoping that the planning inspectorate will bear in mind the cumulative impact that this and other Material and Non -Material Change applications could have both on this, the host parish, and the wider community as a whole.

The DCO was a long and involved process, carefully considered and formulated, EDF are now in the process of altering this original permission bit by bit.

Yours faithfully,



Richard Wand
Clerk to Parish Council